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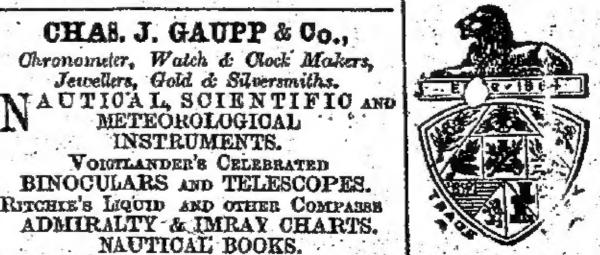
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That for the purpose of carrying into offect the Special Resolution duly passed and confirmed at Extra rdinary General Meetings of the Company held on the 11th and 27th days of October, 1902, the Company be wound up voluntarily under the Provisions of the Com panies Ordinances 1865 to 1899, and that the HONOCRABLE CHARLES STEWART SHARP, ALEXANDER WOOD, and JOHN THOMAS MARTIN WHEELEY be appointed Liquidators of the said Company with liberty for each of them solely to exercise all the powers of the joint liquidators, and that for the like purpose the Liquidators be and they are heroby authorised to consent to the preparation of the Memorandam and Articles of Association of and to the registration of a new Company to be incorporated under the Companies Ordinances of Hongkon under the name of The China-Bornee Company, Limited, or some similar title.

Dated this 29th day of December, 1902 By Order of the Consulting Committee WILLIAM D. JUPP, Acting Manager.

NAVY LEAGUE

HONGKONG BRANCH.

TITHE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the Members and Associates of the Hongkong Branch of the Navy League will be held in the CITY HALL, on THURS. DAY, the loth January, 19 3, at 5.30 p.m. H. E. Pollock, Esq., K.C. in the Chair. G. C. ANDERSON,

Hon, Secretary, Navy League, Hongkong Branch Hongkong, January 7, 1903.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY LIMITED.

FOURTEENTH ORDINARY Long MEETING of Shareholders in this Company will be held at the COMPANY'S OFFICES, Victoria Buildings, on MONDAY, the 16th January, 1903, at 11.30 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending | Company in Singapore. 31st December, 1902.

The Register of Shares of the Company will be CLOSED from Saturday, the 17th January, to Monday, the 26th January (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shates can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors,

A. SUELTON HOOPER. Secretary to be Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited.

General Agents for the WEST POINT BUILDING CO., LTD. Hongkong, January 7, 1903.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVESTMENT AND AGENCY CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE is bereby given that the FIFTEENTH ORDINARY MEET-ING of Shareholders in this Company will be held at the Company's Offices, Victoria Buildings, on MONDAY, the 26th January, 1903, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st Decem-

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A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary.

Flongkong, January 7, 1903.

THE PUNJOM MINING COMPANY. LIMITED.

NTOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at a Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Company, held at the Company's Office, No. 13, Beaconsfield Arcade, Victoria, Hongkong, on Monday, the 5th day of January, 1963, the following Resolution

was passed :-'That in pursuance of the Special Resolution passed on the 11th day of November, 1902, and confirmed on the 27th day of November, 1902, a Call of Fifty Cents per share be made upon all holders of Ordinary Shares in the above Company, and the same is hereby made. Such Call to be paid to the Hongkong and Sharghai Banking Corporation, at their Premises, Queen's Road Contral, Victoria, Hongkong, on or before the 9th day of February,

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that accordance with Article 24 of the Compuny's Articles of Association, interest at the rate of \$10 per centum per Annum will be charged upon all Calls remaining unpaid after the 9th day of February, 1903, up to SWITCHES, TELEPHONES, the actual dates of payment of the same. Shareho'ders are requested to note that, upon presentation at the Office of the Company of the Bankers' Receipt for payneut of the Call, and surrender of existing Certificates of the Shares pertaining there to, new Share Certificates will be issued bearing an endorsement of the payment of the said Call.

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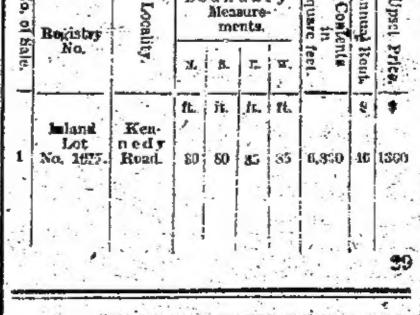
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#### CAPTAIN DASH, D.S.O.

He had gone a mucker at Oxford; that was the foundation of his fortune. A few hundred pounds of debt, and some troubles about a woman whom he should have married but didn't owing to the aristocratic prejudices of his people, sent Reginald Dash out to Australia as a 'remittance' man.' There he made himself a reputation as a sponge and a boaster and the nowsthat war had been declared in South Africa found him pot-valiant in a Melbourne

Mutual defiance and support drove him and his boon companions to give in their names for enrolment in a Bushmen's Corps. But first Reginald Dash telegraphed home to his people to obtain their permission, being anxious about the continuance of the remittance. The answer arrived in due course,- 'Perfectly immaterial.' It was on the day of Klipspringer Vlei

that Dash found his opportunity. The Bushmen were in action, clinging by their cyclids to boulders and ant-heaps. Some oavalry, who had been our reconnectring, came in on their left, and a private fell wounded from his horse.

'Now's your chance for a V.C., Rog!' his left hand man shouted across the ten paces' interval.

It was certainly dangerous; the pompom shells were skimming just over the heads of the Bushmen, and the Mauser bullets spattered the ground in front and 'I'm off, said Dash, and, laying down

his rifle rashed to the wounded man. The keen-sighted Boers saw his figure. and that gave them the range, of which they had up to then been uncertain. The Bushmen had ten casualties in the next five minutes. It was long-range fire, and the bullets whistled over Dash's head,

He raised the Lancer, despite the latter's appeals to be left lying where he was, and started back to the firing line. He heard 50 a thad just above his left shoulder as he ran, and cirefully laid a dead man behind an unappropriated stone. But there was a correspondent-American-with the partly column, wie found capital material for sen-A. furnished, from January 1 to June sational copy in the incident. His paper appeared with a profusion of headlines :-Bushmen' Heroic Stand-Gallant Resour by a Colonal Trooper,' and so on, and so

Private Dish having thus been written up, was recommended-from Pall Mallfor the V.C Later it was discovered that his father was a popular master of harriors. and a genteman of political influence in South Blankshire. On the representation of the local A.P., the alternative choice of a commission in Her Majesty's regular forces was offered to Private Dash-and 2062 accepted. He was gazetted, by his parents' choice and the niluence of the M.P., to the 25th Drugton Guards (Mazarine

'What sort of dehap is he?' asked Captain Merrin, his squadron commander. when he rejoined after a visit to Muizen. berg on sick leave

Talks through his neck, replied the subaltern addressal. 'Tells us we're out of date and get urselves killed because wa're not intelliger enough to take cover. 1st Floor No. 1, Prince's Buildings, You'll hear him giving the C. O. a lecture on the art of war a mess. A sight of the old man's " face till do you good. 'H'm, I fancy thre's more scope for his talents with the 1 M. T. than with the

Mazarinos. We'll at him promoted.

In due time Dah was promoted. He got his company in he Second Scallywags. 'My blessing go with you, Dash,' said Peters, the subalorn aforementioned. You'll he able todig yourelf in to your heart's content with haz lot, and show us some fancy shooting too. Dash thanked hir for his good wi-hes ;

lie didn't see the irmy the was an up todate, patent, inspired soldier, and such are born, not made j The Second Scally sags were collected from the ends of the parth. They could shoot, and they could pot which latter they did with excellent realist so farms their own comfort was concrued. If they fought as well as they stole Dash longed for the day when he should ke them into action. It came at last-at lummelsdorp, out Ficksburg way. A convertrokkin with the usual guns, and the Seed Scallywags as mounted troops, was hel up by a force of Boers!

hidden in a dongaicross its path. It was Summ's Post in life. Dash and his copany, the right flanking party, dismounted atablished themselves behind a milelong utcrop of stones, and came into action atfifteen hundred yards against a force of bers holding a kopje. SEVERAL newly-built HOUSES at pretty shooting. To guns, two companies of theirs, and the inntry were in action with the Beers in the dongs; the rest of the Scallywags formi the rear screen. In all the British force as nearly a thousand

> happy. He stood by to guns, directing their fire while the infants cropt forward; but ever and anon he tweed his field-glasses. to the kopje on his rigt.
>
> I don't like it, Majham, he said to his
> A.D.C. They're nebolding that kopje for nothing. If they concentrate behind it, they'll play Hell-rd-Tommy with us. Tell that officer man edmanding the right flank-guard to put 'et off; there aren't more than fifty of then Markham saluted; pd rade off at a

Yet the column burmander was not

The Colonel desires at you will take the kopie said he to Dh. What, storm it? ake a frontal attack?' said the latter, histony round his



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neck behind his ant-heap; why such a hing has not been ordered since Magersfentein.

'I'm not here to argue; those are your orders,' said the A.D.C. curtly, sitting on his horse smid a shower of bullets. 'I'll ask the men, sir, and Dash, norvously. Then he shouted to as many as
could hear in their extended order, 'Lads,
the Colonel orders as to take that kopje.'
'What the 'ell for ?' growled a sergeant;
'ain't we givin' 'em socks from 'ere?'
'You get out there?' Not such 'Lands,

look at it ! said another. You see, sir, the mon won't go, said OH, FIE, CIGARETTE! them very well from here."

The A.D.C.'s jaw tightened. 'Very well, sir,' he said; 'Perhaps you will kindly favour me with your name. must report to the Colonel.' He swung his borse round and galloped away. As he went, his ours caught a

sarcastic sentence about 'Imperial bloody butchers." The Colonel gnawed his moustache when he heard his: A. D.C.'s report.

Pretty soldiers! he said. Worst of it is, I can't court-martial him for fear of the blessed public. Order B Company of the Rutlands to double back and take up a position to the right rear.

B Company withdrew. The fire from the donga redoubled; the gunners got a slating, and the attack was brought to a standstill. That was not all. From behind the

kopje, before the Rutlands could reach their position, for they had to make a detour to the left, issued Brother Boer in a thick column of five hundred men. The rear screen, which had not dismounted, bolted incontinently across the veldt in the direction of Ficksburg.

Dash saw the galleping line of the enemy bearing down on his company. His horses were too far in the rear to give his men a chance of mounting. He did all that could be done under the circumstances to retire and reform, facing the enemy, who were rapidly closing upon his right flank.
Brother came on like a whirlwind, firing from his saddle. A grim smile spread over the Colonel's

"Scuppered!" he said, "the danmed

Then he turned to more pressing matters in front. The enemy had crawled out of the dongs, and were working up to the guns which were already firing case. 'C Company to support B! shouted the Colonel; 'run like bares, my lads! They'll be in on us in a minute or two."

But the Scallywags were fighting; they fought for ten whole minutes. Then they put up their hands. But with shouts of One-and-twopence to the rescue! the Rutlands were upon the Bojers as they dismounted to seize the discarded rifles. - Sweating, shouting, stabbing they came, and Brother Boer, such of him as had not dismounted, thought it wise to clear. Thirty killed and sixty prisoners was the Ruthaids' bag, and the Boers in the denga, making haste to their horses, scattered in all directions, hammered by shrapnel and rifle fire from the victorious

Dash, with his arm in a sling-he had a bullet in the wrist-went to make his re-'My men behaved most gallantly, sir,'

he began; 'they didn't surrender Here the Colonel broke in. 'I know all about your men, thank you.

You can take them to their nurse. Now, feetmack ! \* Which was hideously improper language to use to a free-born Colonial.

There was a correspondent, hungry for news, at Ficksburg, when the Second Scallywags returned, and they told him all about the fight.

Consequently, Captain Dash got the D.S.O., and his people wept in their affection for their 'dear son,' The subaltern who led the Rutlands in their charge-he was barely twenty-one-got a bullet through his knee and was lame for life.'- G. F. in St. James's Budget.

#### JUDGE SLOWLY.

It is not always an easy matter to judge correctly of the quality of things. Less than one in a thousand of us is capable of accurately estimating the worth of a picture; not more than one is a hundred the quality of a horse. In general, judgments repidly made are of small value. Did you over notice, recently inquired a visitor to an English University town of his companion, as they sat together on a verandeh, that queer-looking old fellow with the idiotic face turned-up cont collar, and boots seven sizes too large, who passes here every morning at eleven? 'Many a time,' replied the other, · He is Professor of Comparative Grammer to the University of --- and speaks fourteen modern brogunges, to say nothing of his mastery of Greek. Latin, and Hebrow. The incident will serve to show the Intility of superficial judgment. Many judgm-nts which pass mechall-enged are none the less deplotably wrong, more especially in matters which require a practical test. Who can say positively whether a certain

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Name.	Clause	Tons.	Guns.	Г.Н.Р.	Oaptain.	Least reported a
lacrity	despatch-vessel	1700		3000	Comdr. Seymour E. Erskins	Singapore
*Albion	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16	13,500	Captain T. H. M. Jerrain	Hongkong
lgerino	sloop	1050	6	1400	Commander R. Nugent	Hongkong
mphitrite	cruiser, 1st olass	11,000	16	18,000	Cont Charles Windham C V ()	Weihaiwo
rgonaut	cruisor, 1st class	11,000	16	18,000	Capt. Charles Windham, C.V.O.	Simonoro
lenheim	cruiser, 1st class	9000		13,000	Captain George H. Cherry	Singapore
ramble	gunboat, 1st class	710	6	1300	Captain F. G. Stopford Lieut. Com. F. M. Leake	Shanghai Hankow
ritomart	guntont, 1st class	710	6	1300	LieutComdr. T. D. Pratt	Hanislana
essy .	cruiser, 1st class	12,000	14	21,000	Contain House M. 18. 1	Hongkong
erub	water tank and tug	390		300	Captain Henry M. Tudor	Hongkong
elipse	cruiser, 2nd class	5600	11	9600	Contain Debut II C Cult	Hongkong
k	g-bt. 3rd class coast defence	363	3	200	Captain Robert H. S. Stokes	Hongkeng
pîègle	sloop	1070	10	1400	Courds 12mm P	Object to 1
me	torpedo boat destroyer	360 .	6	5700	Comdr. Ernest Barton	Shanghai
arloss	cruisor, 3rd class	1580	12	3200	Conda The Time	Shanghai
rebrand	gunboat, 2nd class	4.56	12	360	Comdr. John J. Graham	Hongkone
lory	battleship, 1st class	12,950	16		In Reserve	Hongkong
liath	battleship, 1st class	12,000		13,500	Captain W. A. Carter	Singapore
ndy	torpedo boat destroyer		1	13,500	Capt. F. H. Honderson, C. M.G.	Singapore
art	torpedo hoat destroyer	278 275	6	4000	LieutCom. G. O. Hardy	Weihniwei
imber	storeship		6	4000	0 1 7 7	Shanghai
108	torpedo boat destroyer	1640	-	800	Comdr. J. D. Daintree	Hongkong
nsha	river gunboat	280	6	3900	Floot Reserve	Hongkong
orlien	river gunboat	180	4	200	LtComdr. G. B. Powell	Yangtee Kianp
tine	good	980	2	800	Lt. Comdr. G. G. Webster	Conton
an			10	1400	Comdr. C. W. M. Plenderleath	Hongkong
er ·	torpodo boat destroyer	12,950		13,500	Captain R. W. White	Hongkong
enix	sloop	350	6	6300	Lt. Com. C. P. Mansel	Shangha
cara	cruser, 2nd class	1015	6	1400	Commander W. H. Nicholson	Hongkorg
ue nbler		3600 .	8	7000	Capt, Harry C. Reynolds	Shanghai
aldo	Surveying-vessel	835	6	650	Captain Morris H. Smyth	Hongkong
oin	sloop	980	10	1400	Com. D. St. A. Wake	Hongkong
entio	river gunboat	85	2	240.	LtCom. John P. Irven	Canton
drinen	sloop	980	6	1400	Comdr. C. A. W. Hamilton	Shanghal
dpiper	river gunboat	85	2	240	LieutCom. Murmy Lookhert	Hongkong
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u	torpedo boat destroyer	250	6	6500	Floot Reserve	Hongkong
oot	cruiser, 2nd class	5600	11	9600	Captain Lewis Bayly	Singapore
iar .	receiving ship	4650	8		Commodore Robinson	Hougkong
	river gunboat	180	2	800	LtComdr. R. W. Dalgety	Shanghai
ed	coast defence gunboat	363	3	200	Lieut. Forbes	Woosung
tal	Bloop	980	10	1400	Comdr. S. St. John Farquhar	Hongkong
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Foreign Men-of-war on the China and Japan Station.

ns ry	Name.	Flug and Description.	Tons.	Guns.	H.P.	Captain.	Last reported
10							
nd	Kaiser Karl VI	Austrian cruiser	6250	20	12,800	Captain Dredger	Nanking
22	Alouetto	French gunboat	300	_		Lieut, A. Belloy	Shangosa
	Argus	French gunboat	_		-	Capt. Crespin	Canton
	Aspic Avalanche	French gunboat French gunboat	475	8	450	Commander Journet	Saigon Canton River
. 1	Bengali	French gunboat	580			Lieut. Fitle	Haiphong
S.	Bugoaud	French cruiser	4009	19	2000	Capt. Lefèvre	Nanking
	Comete Decidéo	French gunbost	690	_	7	Commander Louel Commander Leamy	Heiphong . Shanghai
	d'Entrecasteaux	French flagship 🧬	8114	14	13,500	Captain Fournet	Tonkin
he	Friant	French cruiser	. 3739	10	9000	Captain Serris	Woosung
y ve	Kersaint Lion	French gunbone French gunbass	1250 470	6	2200	Capt. Le Golleur Capt. Bécus	Tonkin Saigon
	Olrg	French gunboat	_	-		Capt. Hurst	Yangtse
	Pascal Redoubtable	French cruser	3988	14	8500	Captain Seues	Shanghal Shambai
ic d	Styx	French cruisor	9437 1800	0	6071	Captain Bonifoy Capt. Vincent	Saigen
- 1	Surprise	French gunboat	629	2 7	800	Captain Mornet	Shanghu
	Takiang Vauban	French gunboat French cruser	_	_		Captain Blondel	Yenguas Along Bay
a,	Vigilant	French gunboat	_				Canton
	Vipere	French gunboat	400	4	441	Comdr. Villeneuve	Soigon
	Bussard Fürst Bismarck	German gunboat	1600 11,000	8 36	2900	Comdr. von Bassowitz Captain Friedrich	Riautschou Hanglerne
	Geier General	German gunboat	1600	8	14,000	Comdr. Borger	Hongkong Singapore
	Hansa	German cruiser	6000	20	10,000	Capt. Passchen	Shanghai
	Hertha Iltis	German cruiser German gunbôat	6000 1000	20 10	1300	Capt. Derzewski LieutCommander Hallergiund	Shanghas Canton
	Judies.	German gunboat	900	10	1300		Shenghal
	Luchs	German gunboat	850	10		Comdr. Wuthmann	Yangtee
	Schwalbe Secadler	German gunboat	1120 1600	8	1500 2800	Commander Hilbrand Comdr. Hoffmani:	Singapore Nanking
5.	Tiget	German gunboat	900	10	1300	Comdr. Schrader	Bangkok
	Yorwaerts Thetis	German gunboat German gunboat	· _ =	_	_	Comdr. von Weise	Shanghai Shanghai
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	Gremiastchy	Russian gunboat	1490	. 6	2000	Comdr. Zagarausky	Shanghal
	Gromoboi Guiliak	Russian battleship Russian gunboat	12,364	6	1000	Captain Jussen Comdr. Shumoff	Nagasaki Shaughai
18.	Koreetz	Russian gunboat	1213	7	1500	Comdr. Novakowaky	Nanking
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g.	Petropavlovsk	Russian battleship	10.960	16	10,600	Captain Jakovleff	Port Arthur
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1	Sivootch	Russian gunboat	1050	8	1120	Comdr. Ginter	Port &r. nur
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	Zabiaka	Russian cruiser	1230	К	1194	Comdr. Abramoff	Port Arthur
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Tuesday, January 13:--2.30 p.ra. - Auction of Sundry Househo Furniture, &c., at Messrs Hughes & Hengle's Sales Rooms.

Webserbay, January 14 :-Norm - Meeting of Shareholders of The China-Borneo Co., Let., at the Company's Registered Offices. 5.30 p.m.-Meeting of Eothen Mark Goods per Glengyle not cleared on this date subject to rent.

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this date subject to rent. Wednesday, January 21 :Noon. -- Meeting of Shareholders of The National Bank of China, Ltd., at the Bank's Premises.



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The China Itail.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

CABLES, TABLES Fables" is the title of a AND PARLES. trenchant article by Mr J. Henriker Heaton

in the current number of the Magazine of Commerce. He says that the people of the United Kingdom annually spend | gistracy, to-day, with stealing two bags of £300,000 in cabling to China, Hong- rice containing 100 lbs, of rice from kong and the Far East, and a total 18.00 6 sum of £2,378,000 a year for cable. The case was adjourned until to-morrow grams, while the whole annual sum spent on the Mail packet services to Australia, America, India and China is A Big Gun. only half a million. The disproportion is out of all reasonable ratio to the services rendered. He traces some of the anomalies of cable rates, and argues strongly in favour of a union between to buy out the monopolists, holding that | he witnessed by the military and naval it would be a profitable national invest- attaches of all the principal Embassies. ment even if it cost 45 millions, and that we might well pay pence where we now pay shillings.

> Señor Sagasta, whose death is reported, re-THE LATE signed the office SPANISH Premier of Spain on the

on 21st July, 1827, at Torrecilla de Try it. Cameros. After studying as an engineer in Madrid, he practised his profession at Valladolid and Zamora, and when 27 years of age was elected by the people of Zamora to the Constituent Cortes. Two years later, having taken part in the insurrection, he sought refuge in France, and on his return under the general amnesty he became a Professor in the School of Engineers in Madrid, at the same time editing La Iberia, the Party. There was another insurrection in 1866, and Sagasta again fled to France, returning to Spain after the fall of Queen Isabella II. Shortly after he became Minister of the Interior, became a strong supporter of the monarchy, and since then has held various ministerial portfolios. Since 1874, he has been identified with the Liberal Party of Spain, and in 1880 he first became Premier. Spanish politics provides plenty of excitement, and Sagasta had his full share of the ups and downs and intrigues which form no inconsiderable part of the life. His great oppon-

The Week of Prayer.

. The last meeting in connection with the week of prayer takes place to-morrow. from 5.15 to 6.15 p.m., in the rooms of the Hongkong Christian Union at 13 Beacons field Arcade. Major Ayerst will preside. and the Venerable Archdeacon Banister.will open the subject: 'The Ministry of the Gospel : all Pastors, Teachers, and Evange lists; the Blessing of the Almighty upon Missions to the Jews in all lands "

ent. Canovas del Castillo, it will b

remembered, was assassinated in 189\*.

New Year's Gifts. We are reminded of the advent of the Chinese New Year by more than one annual circumstance. The epidemic of fires, it is true, ceased as suddenly as it set in-a charge of arson has been preferred ;--but in the hours of the day devoted to carly BLEND marketing and shopping the trooping groups of natives bearing their burdens of crackers and of gew-gaws proclaim the near approach of the time of clamour and native carnival. In one sense this proximity is pleasing-the feast will be over the sooner.

American Silver Coinage.

The report of the directors of the United States Mint says that the coinage of 1,500,000 silver dollars monthly, now required by law, will end soon by the exhaustion of the stock of silver bullion On the other hand, the gold coinage of the country is now entering almost entirely into storage, and the coinage of the whole of the annual deposits is unnecessary. The report adds that the Treasury holds about \$500,000,000 in coined gold, which is doubtless more than will be called in for a generation, practically all the current gold coinage being deposited in the Treasury in return for certificates. The directors point out that when gold is required for export it is wanted in bars, while for domestic circulation the public prefers Treasury certificates, which, with some modification of the statutes, might as well be issued against bar gold as against coin gold.

Judge- Prisoner, you have the right of do so.' Prisoner- Right y'are, guy nor ! 121 at the end, if he'll step outside.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

To Our Subscribers.

We regret that last night's issue who late in reaching the majority of our subscribers. This was due to the breakdown of just. our electric motor. It is hoped there will be no delay to-night.

Pollard's Lilliputians. We are informed that Pollard's com-

"Cables, Tables and pany of juvenile opera singers will open the season in Hongkong on or about the 3rd of next month. They will play here for two weeks only. Rice-Stealing L. Yaumati. Two Chinese were charged at the Ma-

> cargo junk in Yaumati Bay, on the 8th inst. for the production of the complainant's

The largest gun ever made in America is being mounted at Saudy Hook for the Diocesan Boys' School. defence of New York Harbour. The gun, which will cost over £30,000, has a range gun will be tested under the direction of the American and British Governments | leading artillery experts, and the test will | preside.

Keap it Short.

A beginner in newspaper work in a 'queried' the telegraph editor : 'Column story on so and so. Shall I send it?' The reply was prompt, but, to the enthusiast defeat of his party in | 'Can't be told in less than twelve hundred,' the Chamber of Deputies on the 2nd be wired back. The reply came: 'Story ult. The deceased statesman was born of creation of world told in six hundred.

The Verb 'To Go.' A Frenchman just arrived in England, who had been taking English lessons on the voyage from a follow-passenger, complained much of the difficulty of our grammar, especially of the irregular verbs. For instance,' said he, 'ze verb, to go. Did you ever see one such verb?" with the utmost gravity he read from sheet of paper :- 'I go, thou departest, he clears out, we cut stick, you make tracks, they absquatulate. Mon Dieu! Mon Dieu! principal organ of the Progressive What irregular verbs you have in your English language.

The Bioscope.

An exceedingly good Bioscope entertainment is that which is being given by Mr T. J. Stevenson at the Theatre Royal. and to the West of Chung Hue Rock. The performance met with general appreciation last night, when a good house at- The Indian Mints. tended, and the short season should be a historic event which are projected on the the St. Gothard Pass, showing the wondergrand National and the Derby of last year, and the trick pictures, which are exceedingly clever. The Bioscope is well deserving of patronage.

Mechanical Conservatism.

A veneration for antiquities, says Truction and Trunsmission, is one of the their minds of the idea that another most marked traits of a highly-civilised race, | change in the currency system can be and is laudable enough in the archieologist; brought about. but when we see it take the form of clinging to mechanical ruins, and in the continu- The Empress-Dowager of China. ed use of balloon, haystack, or vertical eggended boilers, which would be in danger of charges of industrial decay, brought against as by our foreign rivals, are not without straight from the boilers to the stack, and the exhaust steam direct to the atmosphere. of yards of badly-covered, or totally une driven more by hot water than by steam. Doubtless much of this isolation of small engines is quite unavoidable, and one is not exacting enough to ask that each of these engines should be provided with a condensing plant; but the point is, that while a works has been paying its way, its proprietors have been perfectly contented to preserve the machinery and tools used by their grandfathers.

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fro fool with a bad cold. No one can what the end will be. Pneumonia, catarrh, chronic bronchitis and consumption invariably result from a neglected cold. As a medicine for the cure of colds. coughs and influenza, nothing can compare challenging any of the jury if you desire to with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, It always cures and cures quickly. For sale I'll fight that little black-whiskered bloke by All Dealers; WATKINS Ltd., General

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Notes by the Way.

The German Mail of the 10th December was delivered in London on the 7th

Mr G. T. Walker, a Fellow of Trinity College, Cambridge, has been nominate as the successor to Mr Eliot, Meteorological Reporter to the Government of India.

Mr Richard Phillipson Dunn-Pattison, B.A., of New College, has been elected a lecturer in history at Magdalen College Oxford. Mr Dunn-Pattison, who was for Sutherland Highlanders, took a first class in the Final History School in Trinity Term,

Cricket.

To-morrow Craigengower C.C. wil play H.M.S. Cressy at the Happy Valley, at 2.15 p.m.

The prize distribution will take place Cricket. at the Diocesan Boys' School on Thursday

No Indictment. Sir Henry S. Berkeley, K.C., exercising his authority as Attorney-General, has declined to file an indictment against southern town, who 'sent stuff' to a New | Messrs Leigh and Orange, architects, and York daily, picked up a 'big story.' He Man We, contractor, whom the jury silting the evidence at the Praya East Collapse Inquest found guilty of manshughter, Sir Henry's decision was the subject of general unsatisfactory. 'Send six hundred words,' town talk to-day, and the majority of the comments made were in approval, particularly keeping in view the recent jury finding at the Supreme Court trial of the third collapse case.

Royal Hongkong Y cht Club.

The Committee of he Royal Hongkong Yacht Club has decided that the oth Club Race must be re-sailed by the One-Design and 2nd Classes, on the "ground that certain lands were materially prejudicel by the mark-boat being near Green Island instead of off Chung Hue, as it should have been according to the instructions for the race. The objection to the race in the 1st Class was withdrawn, so that the result of the original race stands in that Class. The race will be re-sailed by the One-Design and 2nd Classes on Sunday next, 11th January, Course 28. One-Design to start at 1.30, and 2nd Class at 1.40. The mark-boat will be placed not more than about half-a mile from the South shore of Chung Hue

There is a report in Calcutta (says the success. The coronation pictures are ex- | Madras Mail) that the Committee appointccedingly good. Amengst the films of the ed to consider the advisability of the establishment of a gold standard for the screen are decorated London, the proces. Straits has recommended the abolition of ion going to and leaving the Abbey, the | the British dollar in that part of the world regalia being borne within the edifice by and the substitution of a fixed rupes value the clergy, and other excellent scenes. The on the system now employed by India. A views of China life are well taken. There correspondent remarks :- "If this be corare pictures of street incidents in Hong. rect, our Indian Mints will lose one of their kong, Shanghai, Pekin, etc.; and a ride few remaining outside constituents, and down the Peak Tramway. Amongst the coinage for Eastern requirements may general subjects which deserve mention are soon become a thing of the past. With the voyage across the Atlantic on the the increasing tendency of all Eastern Kroupring Wilhelm; the train ride down | countries to adopt a gold standard, it is somewhat late in the day for the Indian ful Alpine scenery; the winning of the | Currency Reform League, recently started in Bombay, to commence an agitation against our present currency system. Were Government to give a tangible proof of their own belief in the present system by the introduction of the suggested exchange guarantee of interest on Government Paper, people would soon dissbuse

The following paragraph is taken from the L. and C. Express :-- A series of let- successful. It is clear that in photographbursting if pressure was raised to 29 lb.; ters is appearing in the ladies' journal ing children and young girls especially, and to engines which were truly wonderful Madame, under the general heading of the leading lady Photographers bring into a 'crack' gon's crew; it would lead to in the time of Watt; then we feel that the | The First Ladies of the Day.' In the such sympathy and intuition to bear upon gives us some three or four columns on the foundation. Mechanical conservatism Empress of China, which we can only The Age of Precocity are charming specimeans deficiency of progress, and its strong- characterise as being very much of a mud- mens. 'Chip-carving' is a lost art in Bri. hold is in the Black country, where no- dle, and as it purports to extend over her than; but Miss Reck's article on this pri- Bisley system, even if that were ideal, thing in the shape of feed-heaters, forced life, dates are very sadly wanting. We mitive division of the carving-art will do because rifle shooting is the affair of the draught, superheating, or condensers seems | should not in the ordinary course have | much to revive interest in it. Here are to have been heard of. The flue gases go noticed the appearance of such an article reproduced some of the last examples from All over acres of works are dumped down literary world. It behoves her, therefore, steam engines of all sizes, fed by hundreds to be careful to only write about such Melani at once gains attention by his apcovered, steam piping, so that the engines understands; for we are treated to several work. Modern Italian art was revived by the ideal captain of a turnet or gun. It leading figure on the Chinese stage for not three years, but for something over 40 years. Again Lady Jeune tells us that even her hitterest detractors do not accuse her of gross immorality,' Now that is precisely and exactly what the Reform Party in China have in no uncertain terms charged to her. It will be needless, however, to go on to point out other inaccuracies, but people whose names are eminent should certainly be more circumspect in whatthey give out apparently for the benefit of those who are uninitiated.

GIRLS who are as silent as posts are good

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The Diocesan School Burglary. This case will be investigated at the

Magistracy, to-morrow. Hockey Competition.

Yesterday, H.M.S. Ocean team defeated the Hockey Club 1st team, in the Shield New Solicitor, compitition, by 3 goals to 1.

Stoning the Police. The charge against one of the Chinese

alleged to have taken part in the Elgin Road affray in which Indian police were stoned, was further adjourned at the some years an officer in the Argyll and Magistracy, to-day, only formal evidence being takan.

Attempted Theft.

from H.M.S. Ocean, on board which manof-war he was employed scraping off the old paint. He was caught in the act by a marine watchman, and at the Magistracy, base, that it was being closely pursued to-day, he was sent to prison for six weeks.

The following will play for the Hongof 21 miles with a 16m, projectile. The next, the 15th inst., at noon. His Homer kong C.C. r. the Navy to-morrow, com-Sir W. M. Goodman, Chief Justice, will moneing at 11 a.m. :-R. E. O. Bird, J. T. Dixon, W. Dixon, Lieut. L. A. Fanshawe, R.A., Capt. P. H. Fawcett, R.A., G. O. Heron, Rev. C. H. Hickling, A. Mackenzie, A. G. Ward and two others.

Christmas Golf.

The following results of the Golf played at Penang at Christmas have been received in Singapore :-INTERPORT, CHAMPIONSHIP.

Penang. Singapore. D. A. M. Brown 3 Col. Lawson 5 F. H. Pearce L. Crockett 5 Lieut, Walker, R.F. Hon. A. J. Leach 7 Capt. Barry, A.D.C. 0

Total 20 Total THE WARREN SHIELD In this event D. A. M. Brown and A. B

Civilising Influences on China.

Stephens tied with 85 net.

The Rev. T. W. Pearce, L.M.S., writ ing, after a visit to Canton, in a letter given in the Chronicle of the Society, remarks that twenty years ago the space available for dwelling-houses on the foreign settlement was not half built over. Now nearly every available site is occupied, and the nucleus of a new settlement has been formed on the Fati side of the Canton river. There now stand, among other European dwelling-houses, the Presbyterian Training College with its memorial church, and an asylum for the insane, the last selfdenying effort of the late Dr Kerr. Many say-and perhaps more think-that the morality of foreigners, their active benevolence, the fair deeds of charity that are the fruit of Christianity, do not impres the Chinese in ways-as penetrating and salutary as do certain other aspects of our civilisation. To such persons I would say that when Western religion is interpreted by the life as faithfully as Western civilisation is set forth before the eyes of the Chinese in our steamboats, railways, and buildings, the result is not less complete or far-reaching. The affection, amounting to reverence, which these uninstructed, unevangelised Chinese cherished Toward my old friend; Dr Korr; points to the marvellous power of a righteous life,

'The Art Journal.'

The Art Journal for December opens with Huth's etching of a pictors by E. A. Abbey, the painter of the official Coronation Picture. The artist's method is illus- | Competitive Gunnery. trated by a rough sketch on the opposite page. A notable contribution is Mr Dillon's second article on ' Turner's Last Swiss and Rigi sketches and drawings, which, as reproduced, are decidedly 'Turneresque.' Mr J. Miller writes concerning 'Lady department of Photography, here is evidence that the feminine invasion has been current issue the Right Hon. Lady Jenne' their work as to place them in the front rank, 'An absent-minded Beggar' and had it not been that the author has at. Iceland, Sweden and Norway which should tained some distinction as a writer in the produce sympathetic helpers for the Home Arts and Industries movement. Professor subjects as she either knows or thoroughly preciation of Domenico Morelli and his The steady man with iron nerve will make very grotesque things, such as 'heradepted Palizzi; Morelli popularised the movement must not be supposed that because we are son Kwang Su Tung Chi.' We might also and even aroused enthusiasm for it against the policy of accepting prizes from point out that the Empress has been a throughout the Peninsula. The six repro- the outside we therefore support the view ductions are ample to show that the that all offer of material advantages to the recently-deceased Morelli was a painter, a gunners is undesirable. The Admiralty poet, and a thinker whose influence will may well increase the amount of the prize long be felt for good. Articles on Madern money given. Competition in the same Amateurs in Lace, 'Cosmopolitan Art,' and 'Autumn Exhibitions' serve well to complete a number which itself completes a

> THE UNLUCKY BOY TS always getting his fingers burnt, his hand cut or his shoulder sprained. His parents should keep a lottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm in the house. This is

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Rugby Football,

Yesterday's Rughy football match between 'A' team of the Hongkong F. C. and H.M.S. Albion was won by the Albion by 2 goals to 1 goal 1 try.

On the application of Mr H. E. Pollock, K.C. (instructed by Mr C. D. Wilkinson), Mr C. E. Hartnell Beavis, B.A. (Oxon), a Solicitor is the Supreme Court of England, has been admitted to the local practice. Mr Beavis joins the office of Messrs Wilkinson and Grist.

U.S. Naval Manouvres.

The U.S. squadron in Philippine waters indulged in managuvres last month. A coolie tried to steal a securing bolt | The first movement undertaken by Admiral Evans was the seizere of Subig Bay. It was assumed for the purposes of the game of war that the fleet was without a by a superior fleet, and that it was necessary to seize, fortily and hold a base. Subig mouth of the harbor was chosen for the fortification. The operations appear to " have been successful.

Kerusing Hire.

The reprehensible spirit of the ricksha coolie who is too tired to work was once again outlined at the Magistracy, when, this morning, a sergeant in the Royal Garrison Artillery appeared in complaint against the Chinese propeller of a 'sha, who refused to drive him to the Taikeo sports. It was 2.30 p.m., and defendant's excuse was that he had not his lamp. The sergeant said that as he had his wife with O him the coolie's refusal to work occasioned him considerable inconvenience. A fine of \$3, with ten days' imprisonment as the alternative, was imposed.

United States Tariffs.

A New York telegram dated 27th ult. says :- The captitalists in the United States who are interested in the sugar and tobacco industries are protesting vigorously against the proposed reduction of duties on these in ports from the Philippines, alleging that to reduce the tariff now in force to twenty-five per cent to the Dingley fariff would work a great hardship to their interests. Strong pressure is being brought to boar to prevent further congressional action. It was stated in Washington to-day that it was improbable that the Senate would pass the bill providing for this reduction which has been recently adopted by the House.

'Mixed' Hockey Undesirable.

Every country village has its club now, and plays matches once or twice a week either against neighbouring lady teams or against composite teams of menend women. But the real lady player looks down-and rightly ton-on mixed hockey. In remote country places, however, lack of numbers often makes mixed hockey imperative. But, unlike lawn tennis, it does not really work well. Equality of pace and equality of atrength must exist to make a game really well contested, and although one might argue that each side has its quantum of men, the disadvantages are numerous and obvious. For instance, a female line of half-backs are not able to keep up with a forward line of men, or, again, men playing forward with women in the same line must regulate their pace to those women. Consequently, things are badly balanced.

Comment is being made in certain quarters (says a Home paper) because Admiral Sir Cyprian Bridge has declined Drawings.' It deals with the Zug, Zurich the £50 prize offered by the Hongkong Branch of the Navy League for the encouragement of gunnery. One of our contemperaries commenting on this expresses Photographers and their work.' In the its opinion that the Admiral was absolutely right in the course he took. Competition for such a prize between different ships in a squadron would inevitably result in the concentration of the best shots in each ship constant practice by one man-the petty officer Grounds of the moment-and to the neglect of that general average of efficient training which is what is what we require. No comparison can be made with the Individual, each member of a team depending on his own success, whereas in naval gunnery it is a question of the combined excellence of the crew. Furthermore, there is no security that the best shot in practice would be the best shot in action. ship is healthy, and competition between different ships in the same squadron is healthy; but if the competition is to be a squadron competition, you must make the ship the unit, not the gun's crew; and if the competition is to be for the individual ship, you must make the gun's crow and not the single person the

a liniment of superior merit. One application gives relief. Try it. For sale by All Kissing may be unhealthy, but nothing Dealers; WATELNS Ltd., General Agents, risked nothing gained.

#### TELEGRAMS.

[neuter's service.] RUSSIA AND GREAT BRITAIN IN ASIA.

.London, January 8, 1903. The Nove Vremye, commenting on Major MacMahon's mission to Sciatan, declares that private disputes between Persia and Afghanistan are no concern of England, and adds that Russia cannot witness the despatch of the mission unmoved.

#### MR CE MBERLAIN IN SOUTH AFRICA.

Sir Arthur Lawley gave a garden party in honour of Mr Chamberlain at Pretoria. Lord Milner and Commandants Cronje, Botha, and De la Rey were present. De Wet was absent.

#### THE DARDANELLES, QUES-TION.

It is stated in Berlin that Germany has recently informed Russia that she would not participate in any British representations re the Dardanelles, in which question she was not concerned. It was rumoured that this action followed on an enquiry addressed to Gennany by Great Britain. The re-election. newspapers resent the action of Germany, especially in view of the existing co-operation in Venezuela.

#### PRETORIA.

At representative meetings of the Dutch at Pretoria, the first held since the war, addresses to be presented to Mr Chamberlain were diseassed. Commandants Botha and Schalaburger deprecate the acrimonious tone of the discussion, pleaded for conciliation and urged the necessity for strongthoning the lands of the new Government

#### SUPREME COURT.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Before His Honone A. G. Wise, Paison Audae).

Friday, Jan. 9, 1903.

EXECUTION FORTHWITH. In the case of J. J. Spooner c. S. A. Ramjahn, which was a suit for the recovery of \$808, a sum due on foot of a promisory note, judgment was given for the plaintiff, with an order for immediate execution.

#### CRICKET.

ARMY ORDINANCE C.T. T. 'H' CO., SHERWOOD

The return match between these two teams was decided yesterday at the Happy Valley, the Ordnance winning by five wickets and 81 runs. Scores :-

ORDUANCE. Lillywhite, b Illchardson..... Bromley, c Kennedy, b Mott..... Skinner, e Richardson, h Mott ...... Heson, L.b. w., b Mott ..... Woolley, c Bames, b Richardson ..... McGibbon, not out Bradford, not out ..... Extras Total for 5 wickets ....... 132

'H', COMPANY.

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Extras ....

Total ....

Not the 'Chow Tai'

The North German Lloyd office in Hongkong received, this afternoon, a telegram from Bangkok assuring the Company of the safety of the s.s. Chow Tai, supposed to have been lost off Suabac. The Chow Tot arrived at Bangkok on the 4th

#### The America Cup.

A Reuter message from Now York states that at a meeting of the New York Yacht Club, held on Monday, Dec. 1, it was decided that the races for the America Copnext year shall begin on Aug. 20 and continue from that date on alternate days, The following facts have been ascertained in regard to the lines and construction of the new defender. Outwardly she will differ little from the 90-footers that Herreshoffs have turned out during the last docade. She will have the same spoon bow and a long overhung aft and a modified fin keel. She will be slightly broader than the Constitution, and her keel will be longer and heavier, though she draws several inches less. Her sail spread will be about 15,000 square feet. Her keel plates will be flang. down the coast and over the N. part of the Foreign Office, with all our rights on ed and webbed in three sections. Much of the bracing will be the same as in the case of the former defenders. The after end of her lead keel appears to be two feet lower than the forward end. A Laffan telegram from New York says that the committee of the New York Yacht Club has arranged that the first race between the new Cub defender Constitution and Columbia shall take place in Long Island Sound on May 1, after which there will be three races at Football. Newport, Rhodo Island.

#### WHAT IS A COUGH?

spasmodic effort to expel the mucus from the bronchial tubes. A cold canses a more abundant secretion of mucus and when the lungs and bronchial tubes are inflamed, they are extremely sensitive to the irritation. Unless care is taken, the C. T. Kew, and R. Kerr, halves; W. R. cold may result in pneumonia, which swift and deadly. If the cold is a lingering one, the more loisurely but equally fatal Cooper, G. A. Cooke, and another, forconsumption easy set in. Do not neglect a cold or cough. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It always cures and cures quickly. For sele by All Dealers; WATKINS Ltd., General Agents.

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Annexed we have the pleasure to lay before shareholders a statement of accounts made up to \31st December, 1902. The gross earnings for the past year amount to \$107,158.33, and after deducting all expensos, remuneration to General Managers. Consulting Committee's and Auditor' fees. there remains a balance of \$81,022.02 which it is recommended be appropriated as follows, viz :---

To place to Reserve Fund ..... \$ 81,000.00 To pay a Dividend of 8 per cent 80,060,00 To carry forward to the credit of

next year's account..... The paid-up Capital has now reached slatement as a weakness. To him the the limit of \$1,000,000 fixed by the Special talk was not a mean between two ex-Resolutions of 22nd January and 11th

February, 1902. was elected to the Committee on his return thing suggestive of his father the stonecutto the Colony in the place of Mr H. P. White resigned. In accordance with the Articles of Association, Messra J. S. Van | thing like vacillation. Everyone remem-Buren, Chow Hing Kee, Chau Tung Shang and J. H. Lowis retire, but offer themselves for re-election.

audited by Messrs A. O'D. Gourdin and denouncing any profession of amity for the W. H. Potts, who are recommended for

SHEWAN. TOMES & CO., General Managers. Hongkong, 8th January, 1903.

#### THE PRIVATE USE OF NULLAH WATER.

At the meeting of the Hongkong Sani tary Board, which was held on Thursday afternon, on the consideration of the adjourned application from Messrs Palmer and Turner, architects and surveyors, for permission to 'erect three water-closets in the building on Inland Let No. 1633, the question of the private uses of nullah water was debated. The application stated that there was an abundant supply which was now running to waste,

Dr Atkinson said that the application referred to a European house on the upper levels, and it appeared to him a much more cleanly and sanitary arrangement to have water-closets in a house of this kind if, by so doing, one was not trespassing upon the limited water supply of the Colony. In this instance they had it stated that some water was going to waste. He was in favour of granting the appli-

Mr : hatham said he was not aware that he water was being used at this moment. He saw no objection to granting the application, provided stipulation was made that, if at any future time the water was otherwise required the supply should be

Dr Clark suggested that it would be much better to dig a covered well than to obtain water from the nullah. He based his argument on the ground that if the water was to be diverted from the nullah it would be necessary to dam the stream, and he was strongly opposed to such a step being taken, because already large sums of money were being spent by the Government, particularly in that portion of the city, to prevent accumulations of water which served as breeding places for an-

opheles mosquitoes, with resultant cases of Mr Chatham answered this objection by saying that the water could be without the construction of dam. All that would be necessary was small channel which would lead the water into the pipe and thence futo a storing tank. There would be no fear of the water stagnating or the dangers which the Medi-

cal Officer assumed to foresce. Mr Osborne said that in considering the application the Board should remember that this was only one of a series which name, and then half the rest said, 'Of would probably follow in its wake. He came.' favoured the proposal that a well should be sunk and if the owner were prepared to do that he would vote in favour of the application. If net he could not do so. This stream was, to his personal knowledge, extensively used by the Chinese during the iate drought, and he did not think they should curtail their supply.

After further discussion," manted, subject to the provision of a well by means of which the water supply might

Mr Osliotne seconded. Mr Chatham moved that the application be granted as it stood, provided that the owner obtained the permission of the Sovernment to use the water from the

Mr Fung Wa Chun seconded. carried. The application was granted on the expressed understanding that if the water is required for public purposes it shall be liable to be cut oif.

WEATHER REPORT. The following notice is issued by the

Hongkong Observatory :-On the 9th at 11.20 a.m. The barometer has fallen over W. Japan, risen rapidly over the E. coast of China. The depression is probably moving into the W. part of the Sea of Japan, and a high pressure area lies over N. China.

Very strong monsoon will again so Forecast :- fresh to strong N. and N.E. winds ; fair.

The Winglok Street Collapse.

The investigation into the Winglok Street collapse was resumed this afternoon before Mr F. A. Hazeland and the follow ing jury :- Messrs Goldenberg, Terry,

To-morrow afternoon on the Happy Valley the Hongkong Football Club will play V R.C. Kick-off at four o'clock. The following will play for the Club :-. Hickling, goal; T. E. Pierce and J. W. C. Bonnar, backs; G. B. Macdonald,

Lemmehand, E. J. Libeaud, C. R. S.

Some men seem to be under the impression that lungs are brains.

#### LONDON LETTER.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

took place, and showed, by the vast multitudes and the tone of the gathering how deep is the impression that the great orator made on his time. With no pretensions to deep scholarship, and little to polished elocution, the great preacher moduced the strongest effects by the sheer vigour of his style. He felt strongly and spoke strongly on any subject, fearlessly on the racecourse, and uttering at any time and on any occasion an uncompromising opinion. He regarded moderation in tumes but always unmistakably in one Consulting Committee .-- Mr J. H. Lowis | chrome or the other. There was someter in the direct blows that he dealt at anybes his comment when the Kaiser apoke of 'My friend the Sultan.' 'God damn Auditors.-The accounts have been the Sultan,' was Parker's expression in Cowned Assassin. I remember a sermon of hispone Thursday afternoon, on 'The slult not steal.' 'For instance,' said he ' itany young man is here listening to me inhis employer's time, that man-is a thief! Onegentleman quietly picked up a black bigthat lay at his feet, glided down the aisle and left the Temple, pursued by an exclanation from the pulpit, Thank God that one man in this congregation has a conscience!"

Price Hughes. The latter was an organiser and a veteran in ecclesiastical statecraft, and the leader of an acknowledged party. Paker was a voice, and nothing more. He looked suspiciously even on the Congregational Union as tending to a centralisation fall to the congregational principle. He male no attempt to gather a band of followers, but rather to speak day after day to changing thousands that the sound might good to the multitudes. The effect was different but equally important, and militant Nonconformity loses heavily by the passing hence of the two men.

han the pigs take to flying the world will

taken: For Bacon has crossed the sea in his

Which seems a bit rasher of Bacon.

-Atraveller in the United States chancing Dr Clark moved that the application be turned out that the information was correct. looking it up That it was April 22, 1889), Mr Chatham's motion was declared himself with a new flag with an additional

In June 1900, at 'the time of the Boxer outreak, we ought to have garrisoned Shaighai ourselves instead of sharing the responsibility with other Powers. Concordis the mother of discord, and the result has been a thirty months' diplomatic squabble as to whose troops shall march out first, According to the papers just published by the Yangtsze, we are not even to have the poor satisfaction of being the last to leave \*Simultaneous' is defined as meaning Japan first. Britain next, and the others later. when they have wrung a little more out of the government of the insatiate slaughteress. Russia has Port Arthur and Manchuria, Germany has Kiau Chau and exclusive rights in Chantung, our rivals control the prospective Peking and Hankow and

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#### ROYAL HONGKONG YACHT CLUB.

London, December 5. Yesterday, the funeral of Dr Parker

reproving prince or premier for appearances Chanticleer' ......12 4 Payne '..... 19

lle was a direct contrast to Mr Hugh

Said the prophets, but they were mis-

How easy it is to forget things! In a senstional divorce case now being heard. thoguestion rose whether a letter was writtan in 1899- or in 1900. Its date was the year that Holocaust broke his leg in the Derly, but no one in Court could say tomer. It is in this direction that pressure which year that was. At last, a member will probably be applied where it has the of the junior bar, who had probably back. | most chance to take effect. ed the animal, recollected that the incident occurred in 1899. It reminds me that this yearsomeone asked on the very evening of Dody Day, in an assembly of men, which hore had won the race. There was quite a muse before one of the crowd gave the

on athriving little town asked a resident whom the town had been founded. The inhabitant thought a minute, and then replied, 'Three weeks last Friday.' It It spems but the other day (but I find on that Oklahoma territory was opened for settlement at noon and had 59,000 residents by nightfall. Now, Oklahoma is to be promoted to be a State, so that every loyal citizen of the U.S. will have to provide star (the forty-seventh, is it not?) So goshend a race as the Yankees must make an excellent market for the bunting wea

Canton railways, and we have the watering place of Wei-hai-wei on Liu-kung-tau. We may wrap ourselves in our virtue and seek an honest poverty without a dowry. Our virtue is its only reward.

The following are the conditions for the Commodore's (Hon. F. H. Mays) Cups :-For Yachts that have competed this season in Club Races. Three Prizes, but not more than one Prize to go to one Class. To be sailed on Saturday, the 10th and 17th inst., starting from PolicePier, Tsim-Sha-Tsui, at 2 p.m. Marks will be awarded as in Club Races. It the event of a tie, a third race will be sailed under the same

Course, -- Rock about 1 MileSouth-west of Cowechau (port). Time Linkt .- 6 p.m. If insufficient wind to give fair prospect of firishing above course, the following will be substituted by notice posted in the Hongkong Club before noon on the day of the race, and by hoisting a red flag at Police Pier 15 Minutes before the race :-Kowloon Rocks, Channel Rock, Meyer's

East Buoy, White Buoy South-West of Cust Rocks, Channel Rocks (all to starboard), 12 miles. " HANDICAP. Vernon 'allows 'Alannah' ... 3 Minutes. Bonito, ' Colleen, ' Erica, ' 'Kathleen,' Min' ..... Maid Marian 

#### CURRENCY INTERESTS.

Who Wants a Fixed Exchange? In all discussions on the hopsless silver question (says the Shanghai Dally Press). it is to be remembered that any opinion expressed must be judged first according to the personal interests of the individual and secondly according to the degree of his

readiness to study the welfare of the community at large. For example, bankers and brokers are entirely predisposed to perpetuate the system of fluctuations whereby they profit continuously. Then the capitalists at large, who have made their pile and invested it other in land, shares or goodwill of various concerns, but who do not remain in the Far East; they draw their dividends or rents or profits of businesses and they live in a gold country. Europe of America or elsewhere. Their first anxiety is to prevent any further shrinkage of apital or lessening of their yearly or quaterly income. These therefore would note solid for a fixed rate of exchange at the highest reap enormous advantages from the fal

possible figure. On the other hand the capitalists who continue to live but here of the dollar. The dollar-carning capacity of their capital has gone up by laps and bounds, and while expenditure has conse quently increased it has not done as to the same extent. Exporters similarly have been immonsely increasing their pro fits in dollars while the increase in their expenditure has always been to a smaller extent. Another class, the wageearners, would be entirely in favour of afixed exchange. Apart from those who have to remit home, the bulk of their expanditure locally is connected with items that grow dearer as silver falls. The foreign wage

earner in the Far East is dependent to a great extent on imported goods. Itis the ins port firms, however, that are the most severely hit by the fall of exchange. And it is there that the strongest motive for finding a remedy exists, although there are some importers who have contrived to make money on exchange, and there are some sufficiently skilled to continue profiting whatever happens. Yet the fact remains that the recent collapses silver has very severely orippled the import trade of China. And those countries which have been in the habit of supplying her are

#### Accident at Kowloon.

We regret to hear that another ricksha accident has occurred at Kowloon, a German gentleman being thrown out of his ricksha at the corner of the Paya and Elgin Road through the ricksha wheels catching on the rails at the corner of the street. The multiplicity of accidents in this vicinity - some of them very serious, too -- ought to convince the authorities that reform is necessary.

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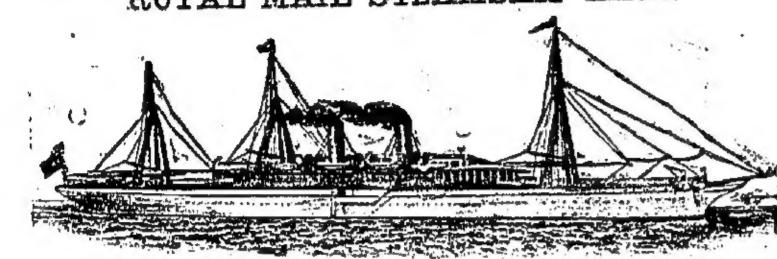
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YAMAGUCHI MARU, S. Yoshizawa,	KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.	Jan., at Noon.
HAKATA MARU, F. L. Sommen,	NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.	TUESDAY, 13th Jan., at Daylight.
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Agenta. Hongkong, January B, 1903.

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NOTICE.

MANAGER.

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, FONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, DJIBOUTI, EGYPT, MARSEILLES, MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, LONDON, HAVRE, BORDEAUX;

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Contents and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. CE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hougkong, December 50, 1902.

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STEAM FOR SHANGHAI. THE Company's Steamship Captain REFFELD, will leave for the above places on SUNDAY, the 11th Inst., at For Freight or Passage, apply to SANDER WIELER & Co.,

2691 Hongkong, January 5, 1903.

Shipping.

IMPERIAL GERMAN MAIL LINE. FOR SHANGHAL NAGASAKI, HIOGO AND YOKOHAMA.

THE Imperial German Mail Steamship DARMSTADT, of the Nondertschen Lloyd, Captain G. MEINERS due here with the out-ward German Mail about SUNDAY, p.m. the 11th Inst., will leave for the above places about 24 hours after arrival. NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

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Hongkong, January 7, 1903. NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA.

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ISCHIA, Captain Muzio, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 13th Inst., at

At Bombay the steamer is discharging in VICTORIA DOCK. For further particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, January 7, 1902. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCALS SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE AND YOROHAMA.

THE Company's Steamship Captain AUBERT, will be despatched for the above ports on or about WEDNES-DAY, the 14th January. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, January 8, 1903. INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA.

THE Company's Steamship LOUNGSANG, Captain G. S. WEIGALL, will be despatch-January, 1903, at 4 p.m. This Steamer has superior Accommodation for First-class Passengers, and is fitted throughout with Electric Light.

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MIHR Steamship BALLAARAT, Capt. F. SUMMERS, carrying His Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY on SATURDAY, the 17th Jan., 1903, at Noon, taking Pessengers and Cargo for the above Ports.

Silk and Valuables, all Cargo for France. and Tea for London (under arrangement)

will be transhipped at Colombo into a steamer proceeding direct to Marseilles and London; other cargo for London, &c., will be conveyed vid Bombay, WITH TRAN. SHIPMENT. Parcols will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The

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Princes Buildings. Hongkong, January 8, 1903. UNITED STATES & OHINA JAPAN

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Hongkong, January 8, 1903.

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CHINA MAIL' OFFICE,

6. WINDHAM STREET, HONGKONG

FRIDAY, JANUAR	Y 9, 1903.		THE CHINA MA	AIJ.	7
Notices to Consignees.	Insurances.	Banks.	Banks.	HONGKONG AVERAGE MARKET PRICES.	Rock Fish,—Sek Kau Kung 11 石術公
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	SALAMANDER FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.	THE YOKOHAMA SPECIE BANI	THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA.  AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.	A, Corrected to Thursday, January 8, 1903.	Rosch,—Chun Yu 8
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Limited, at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark	UNION ASSURANCE SOCIETY.	London. Lyons. New York.		le l	Turbot,—Cho How Yu 14 左口魚
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Hongkong January 8, 1903. 51  NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE	per annum on the daily balance. On fixed deposits for 12 months, 5% per annum.	BERRIN. CALCUTTA.	Feet,—Ngau Kerk each 6 华脚 ,, Kidneys,—Ngau Yiu 8	Small,—Hoi Tong — 海菜 —
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COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.	Authorised Capital£3,000,000 0 0 Subscribed Capital£2,750,000 0 0 Paid-up Capital£687,500 0 0	TARO HODSUMI,  Manager.	LONDON BANKERS:  Messrs N. M. ROTHSCHILD & SONS.  The Union of London and Smiths  Bank, Limited.	Tripe (undressed)—Ngau To , 6 年肚	Chestnuts, Chinese, — Foong Lut 10 風栗 Carambola,—Yeung Tuo 楊桃 Cocoanuts,—Yeli Tex
CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London and HAVRE ex s.s. Dordogne and Bor- DEADX ex s.s. President Loroy Lallier in con-	Fire Funds£2,695,548 5 2	Hongkong, October 31, 1902. 589  IMPERIAL BANK OF CHINA.	Deutsche Bank (Berlin), London Agency. Direction der Disconto Gesellschaft.	Mutton Chop,—reung Pai, Kw i 10. 22	Grapes,—Sin Tai Tsz 解提子
nection with above Steamer are hereby in- formed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables, are	accept European and Chinese RISKS at	ESTABLISHED BY IMPERIAL DECREE OF THE	Interest allowed on Current Account. Deposits received on terms which may be learnt on application. Every description of Banking and Exchange business trans-	Shoulder,—Young Shau 18	Lichees, Dried—Lai Chi Con 12 荔枝乾
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Lan, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cago will be forwarded on unless	*	HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAL.  BRANCHEN AND AGENCIES.	Hongkong, October 6, 1902. 296	Head,—Chi Tau	Man ostoens, - San Chuk Tsz dozen - Ш#7-
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Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the undersigned. Goods remaining unclaim- ed after Mossay, the 12th Inst., at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing	Moderate Liberal Annual Revenue£ 1,300,000.	Chungking, Tientsin. Hankow,	Established 1864.	Pork, Chop,—Chi Pai Kwat , 18 猪脾骨	Mandarin,—Tim Kut 10 間橋 Olives,—Pak Lam
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From London &c., ex s.s. Rome,		Esq. J. Lauts, Esq.	ADVERTISEMENTS.  THE Attention of Advertisers is drawn	Fowls, Canton.—Kai 23	Seet Root,—Hung Chor Lau each 2 紅菜頭 Einjals, Green,—Ching Yuen Ker 青元茄
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ARRIVALS. January 8. Haiphong, French str., 874, Ristorcelli, Haiphong January 6, Rico. - MESSAGERIES MARITIMEN.

Pionier, German str., from Canton, Ningpo, British str., from Canton. January 9. Taishan, Chinese str., from Canton. Taironn, British str., from Canton. Shini Maru, Japanesestr., from Canton. Hong Bee, British str., 2,056, H. Peters, Penang Dec. 29, and Singapore January 1,

General .-- CHINESE. Kachidate Mara, Japanese str., 2,130, K. Murai, Kutchinotzu January 4, Coal.— MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA. Taishan, British steamer, 1,121, J. D. Jonkins, Saigon Jan. 3, Rice. - BRADLEY

An Pho, British str., 966, J. Kynoch, Saigon Jan. 3, Rice -BRADLEY & Co. Suisang, British steamer, 1,776, James Young, Calcutta and Singapore Dec. 31, Ceneral .- JARDINE, MATRESON & Co.

DEPARTURES. January 8.

Rainbaw, American cruiser, for Manila. Phranang, for Bangkok. Victoria, for Kobe and San Francisco. Eastern, for Macao and Australia. Him, for Kwong chow-wan. Chousang, for Canton. Sobine Rickmers, for Canton. Loosok, for Swatow.

Sullberg, for Wuhu. Zafiro, for Manila. CLEARED. Lienshing, for Ninepo. Woosung, ior Shanghal. An Pho, for Chemulpo.

Hailoung, for Swatow.

Ningpo, for Moji.

PASSENGERS. ARRIVED.

Per Haiphong, from Haiphong, Mr an Mrs Mottetal and 2 servants, Dr Baelz an servant, Dr K. Hotenz, Misses Gray an A. V. de Culleo, Mesars F. A. Soue, Puches, Bloche, Pinton, Bonget, E. Ma heim, E. Fremtel, Choistenet, Vert, A nard, Blonde, A. Pasquet, Albert, De preanx, Caspo, Lery Abraham, and Bone parte Wyse. Per Suisang, from Calcutta, &c., Mr

Angus, and 882 Chinese, Per Hong Bee, from Singapore, 858 Cl

DEPARTED. Per Zafira, for Manila, Onlonel and M Forbes, Mr and Mrs H. J. Andrews, Mast H. Andrews, Miss B. Andrews, Mr a Mrs J. Hastings, Misses Woodward, Rosbartin, Kopen and Ecloo. Capt. C. Mead, Messrs J. F. Wright, E. Ros, Hett, G. Vintschger, R. D. Redfarn, Bouncken, J. Hoffneister, T Alegre, Santo, Jamboo, Sarintan, S. H. Lamber and A. Kopen.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Hong Bee reports From Penang and Singapore January 1st, strong N.E. monsoon, cloudy weather and heavy sea. The British steamer An Pho reports : From Saigon Jan. 3rd, strong N.E mon-

soon and high sea, cloudy and overcast weather. POST OFFICE NOTICES. MAILS will close:-For WEIHAIWEL-Per H.M.S. Humber, at 8 a.m., on Saturday, the 10th January.

For MANILA .--Per Robilla Mara, at 11 a.m., on Saturday, the 10th January. For BANGKOK .-Per Mudeleine Rickmers, at 5 p.m., on The O. &. O. s.s. Doric, with mails &c.,

Saturday, the 10th January. For SINGAPORE .--Per Hermann Lerche, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the 10th January. Langlands, Mr and Mrs J. M. For SHANHGAL.-

> Per Tirol, at 5 pm., on Saturday, the 10th January. For SWATOW, AMOY & TAMSUL-Per Daigi Maru, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 11th January.

For HIAPHONG.-Per Haiphong, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the 11th January. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & BOM. The O. & O. Co.'s. s.s. Coptic left San the years 1887-8-9.

13th January. For SHANGHAI, MOJI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOROHAMA, VICTORIA, BC. & SEATTLE .-

P. r Tosa Maru. at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the 13th January.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET .--The French Contract Packet Litos will be despatched on MONDAY, the 12th Jan., with Mails to the United Kingdom, the Continent of Europe, and places beyond, via Marseilles; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Coylon, Madras, the Australasian Colonies, Aden, Natal and the Cape, Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.

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### Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloon shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping of midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings. 1. From Green Island to the Gas Works. S. From Blue Buildings to East Point. 2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf. 9. From Kellet's Island to North Point. 3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour's Office 10. Kowloon Wharves. 4. From Harbour Master's to the Market, Il. Jardines Wharf. 5. From The Market to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

	Vessels' Names.	Anchor-	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons nett.	Date of Arrival	I THIS ELECTION OF A CHAPTER	De tinalion.	Remarks.
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STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL. Latest Advices. The Mogul Line steamer Braemar, from SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER. Glasgow, Liverpool and Straits, left Singapore on the 8th January, and is Silva, St. Hugo, Wurzburg, Dec. 5; Spitexpected to arrive here on Thursday, head, 9; Menelaus, Bengloe, Prometheus, Palawan, 12; Java, H. Thordis, 16; the 15th January. Socotra, 17; Hakata Maru, Pyrrhus, The Barber Line steamer Lowther Castle 19 ; Bencleuch, Salazie, Deucalion, from Japan, China and Hongkong, arrived at New York on the 4th January. Sithonia, 23; Dardanus, Stutlgart. Glenartney. Sydney. Pakling, Wakasa The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Athenian arrived at Kobe at 2 p.m. on Thursday, the Wlostock 2 p. Maru, Patroclus, Formosa, Serbia, Ya-8th January, and left again at 10.30 Nemuro . roslavl, Agamemnon, Waldemar, 30; p.m. on same day for Yokohama, Awa Maru, Diomed, Marquis Bacque-Glenturret, Kiautschow, Border where she is due to arrive at 6 a.m. Knight, January 2; Malta, Indramayo, on Saturday, the 10th January. apore for this port on the 8th January, and is expected to arrive here on the 14th Jan. left Shanghai for this port Wednesday, The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of Japan the 7th at Jan., 4 p.m., and is due here arrived at Vancouver at 3 p.m. on Thursday, the 8th January.

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The Austrian Lloyd s.s. Austria left Sing-The Imp. German Mail s.s. Darmstadt, carrying the German Mails with dates apore for this port on the 8th January. from Berlin of the 9th Dec., left Singapore on Monday, the oth January, Hongkong Tides. at 6 p.m., and may be expected here The Tide Table given below has been Sharp I'k. on or about Sunday, the 11th Jan., at The C. P. R. Co.'s s.s. Empress of India left Vancouver on Monday afternoon, the 29th Dec., for Hongkong, via the tomatic tide-recording machine in the Wa- Hongkong 4 p. 30.21 61 68 E 4 usual Ports of Call.

Francisco for this port on January 3. Yokohama on 8th January, for Hong- to be 2 feet below mean sea level. The M. M. Co.'s steamer Salazie, with the gauge at the Victoria Naval Yard add 5 ft. Bacolod ... .. January at 2 p.m., and may be expect- piven in the table. ed here on or about Thursday, the loth January. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong

Friday evening, the 9th Jan.

on 8th Nov. The Imperial German Mail s.s The Kiuntschou, which left here on the 10th | December, arrived at Genes on Tuesday morning, the 6th Jan. estenmers Expected. The H. A. L. stemmer C. Ferd. Lauisc,

Sun. 11 to 7 41 from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the morning of 3rd January, Tues. 13 m 9 32 and may be expected here on 8th wed. Thur. 15 mi 10:58 The N. Y. K. s.s. Yamaguchi Macu left. Singapore for this port on the 3rd Jan.,

and is expected to arrive here on the 9th January, The N. Y. K. s.s. Kawachi Maru left Shanghai for this port on the 8th Jan., and is expected to arrive here on 11th On London-The P. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Indravelli arrived at Yokohama on Friday morn-

ing, the 2nd January, and may be expected here on or about the 11th January. The C. N. Co.'s s.s. Tsinan left Port Darwin on 5th January for this port via Manila, and is expected to arrive here on 16th January. The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Banca left Singapore for this port on the 6th January,

pore for this port on the 6th January, The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. Tirol left Singapore for this port on the morning of 4th January The Boston Tow Bost Co.'s s.s. Pleiades sailed from Victoria, B.C., for Yokohama and the usual ports on the 4th The N. P. Co.'s s.s. Duke of Fife sailed

from Tacoma for Yokohama, and the

The P. & O. Co.'s s.s. Ceylon left Singa-

The Boston Steamship Co.'s s.s. Sharemus sailed from Victoria, B.C., for Yokohama, on 24th Dec. The P. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Indrasunha left Yokohama on Monday afternoon, the 5th January, for Portland

usual ports on 25th Dec.

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To obtain the depth of water on the tide Malate .... 3 p. — — ENE 2

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next French Mail of the 12th Dec., 7 ln., and on the gauge at Lament Dock, lliolo ..... 1 left Singapore on Thursday, the Sth | Aberdeen, add 12 ft. 9 in. to the height | Cebu ...... ,, 29.99 79 - N 3 0. S. James 4 p. - - -9th January. -- AT 10 A.M. 10th to 16th January.

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Time flies, but if we don't fly with it we are left behind. lold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael) ... ... 165.50 inversigns (Bank's buying rate) ... \$12.62 CONFISTENCY is a jewel that is often swapped for success.

#### Vessels Advertised as Loading.

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